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Notice of Final Determination to Issue the Wisconsin Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (WPDES) General Transportation Separate Storm Sewer System (TS4) Permit for:

Storm water discharges to waters of the state from the TS4 owned, operated, and maintained by the Wisconsin Department of Transportation (WisDOT), WPDES General Permit No. WI-S066800-1 (general permit). This general permit covers storm water discharges associated with the TS4 in the state of Wisconsin and meeting the criteria for coverage under the general permit. The general permit is issued under the statutory authority granted to the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (Department) pursuant to ss. 283.33 (storm water discharge permits) and 283.35 (general permits), Stats.

Pursuant to ss. 203.12 and 205.08(10)(e), Wis. Adm. Code, the Department has made a final determination to issue the general permit. The general permit effective date is June 30, 2018. The general permit is effective for 5 years and will expire on May 31, 2023.

The Department received no written comments on the draft general permit from members of the general public during the public comment period. Further information concerning the Department's response to comments, the final general permit, and related documents may be obtained by contacting Suzy Limberg, Storm Water Specialist, Wisconsin DNR, P.O. Box 7921, Madison WI 53707-7921, (608) 266-9278, suzan.limberg@wisconsin.gov.

As provided by s. 283.63, Stats., and ch. 203, Wis. Adm. Code, persons desiring further adjudicative review of this final determination may request a public adjudicatory hearing. A request shall be made by filing a verified petition for review with the Secretary of the Department of Natural Resources within 60 days of the effective date of the general permit (June 30, 2018). Further information regarding the conduct and nature of public adjudicatory hearings may be found by reviewing ch. NR 203, Wis. Adm. Code, s. 283.63 Stats., and other applicable law, including s. 227.42, Stats.